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Columbus Division of Police Major Crimes Bureau / Felony Assault Unit

Date: December 30, 2019

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Type of Offense/Incident: Felony Assault / Shooting	Date: 12/30/2019		Time: 3:01 p.m.	
Location of Offense/Incident: 1937 E. Dublin Granville Rd.	Zone:	1	Precinct: 18	
Incident Report #: 191084104	Cruiser District: 181			
Victim: Eichael Johnson	Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 19	
Victim: Isiah Newton	Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 19	
Victim: Joseph Walton	Sex: M	Race: B	Age: 18	
Suspect:	Address:			
☐ Arrested ☐ Warrant on File	Sex: M	Race: B	Age:	
Charges:				
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Incident Summary: On December 30, 2019 at approximately 3:01 p.m., Columbus Police officers were dispatched to a shooting at 1937 E. Dublin Granville Road. The officers located three (3) victims suffering from gunshot wounds at the PNC Bank located at 1850 E. Dublin Granville Road. Eichael Johnson was shot in the left foot. Isiah Newton was shot in his right calf and left heel. Joseph Walton was shot in his right hand. Mr. Johnson was transported to OSU Main Hospital where he was treated and released. Mr. Newton and Mr. Walton were transported to Riverside Hospital and are listed in stable

After reviewing surveillance video, Mr. Newton walked into the barbershop located at 1937 E. Dublin Granville Road and punched the unknown suspect in the head while the suspect was seated in the waiting area. A fight ensued and the unknown suspect produced a handgun and began shooting at the victims. The victims ran towards E. Dublin Granville Road and the suspect gave chase and continued shooting at the victims while running through the parking lot. The suspect fled the scene in a dark colored vehicle and the victims ran to the PNC Bank. The three victims did not want to pursue charges out of this incident and the suspect has yet to be identified.

Anyone with information about this incident is asked to contact Detective Deryl Kowalski of the Columbus Police Felony Assault Unit at 614-645-4189 or Central Ohio Crime Stoppers at 614-461-TIPS(8477).

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